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AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT PROVIDED  
WITH SAME

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action  
dated May 10, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page  
of this 2 paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.